November 14, 2023

The regular business meeting of the Faculty Senate was held on Tuesday, November 14, 2023 at 3:30 pm in Holloway Hall 119. The Senate President was in the chair and the Secretary was present. The minutes of the last meeting were approved.

President Lyn Lepre made announcements.

Provost Laurie Couch made announcements, which included the following data on sabbatical numbers over the past several years.

The Senate President made announcements, which included a presentation from the Director of the Campus Sustainability Program. A summary is appended to these minutes.

The minutes of the October 24 meeting were approved as written.

After debate and amendment, the MOTION to extend the deadline for the Ad Hoc Committee on Student Evaluations of Faculty Teaching proposed by Senator Diriker PASSED.

Resolved, that the deadline given to the Ad Hoc Committee on Student Evaluations of Faculty Teaching to present its report to the Faculty Senate, (currently set as "no later than the first Faculty Senate meeting in Spring 2024") be extended to the first Faculty Senate meeting scheduled in April 2024.

After debate and amendment, the MOTION to revise the Emergency Absence Policy proposed by Senator Ragan PASSED.

Resolved, that the Faculty Senate dissolve the ad hoc committee for revising the Emergency Absence Policy and charge the Academic Policies Committee with that task. The Academic

In a cross-department collaborative effort, Salisbury University will be implementing new recycling initiatives starting Spring '24 semester. Working together SU's Office of Sustainability, Horticulture-Recycling Program, and Physical Plant-Facilities Services have identified multiple ways the campus community can work together to increase SU's recycling rate, decrease the amount of waste SU sends to the landfill, and reduce the use of single-use plastics on campus.

During the Spring 2023 semester, SU conducted its first office waste audit. The waste audit revealed that a significant percentage of recyclable material was entering our waste stream. To prevent recyclables from entering our waste stream, SU will be implementing the "Mini-Trashcan" program in all offices located on the main campus in academic and administrative buildings.

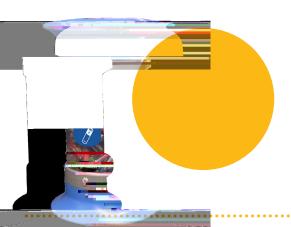
Individual office deskside trashcans will be replaced with liner-free deskside recycle bins and attached mini-trashcans. Instead of Facilities Services emptying

NEW Off ce Trash & Recycling Process

materials to the nearest recycling and trash collection area.



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